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OLE WINDINGSTAD TO BRING SYMPHONY HERE SUNDAY

Concert at 2:30 P. M.—At
Bay High School—Free
To The Public

For the first time in its history Bay St. Louis will be honored by the visit of a symphony orchestra. Meastro Ole Windingstad will bring his New Orleans Symphony Orchestra here for a program next Sunday afternoon, March 26. The concert will be given at the Bay High School and it is scheduled to begin at 2:30 sharp. This is indeed a rare occasion as well as a great musical treat for the lovers of serious music.

The New Orleans Symphony Orchestra numbers approximately seventy members at present. Twenty-one of its members are in the Armed forces. This outstanding organization is enjoying an enviable reputation under the guidance of their capable conductor, Maestro Windingstad. The progress which the New Orleans Symphony Orchestra has made since Mr. Windingstad took it over is most remarkable. We are indeed grateful to Mr. Windingstad for selecting Bay St. Louis as one of the cities in which the New Orleans Symphony will give its five out-of-town concerts.

The American Federation of Musicians is sponsoring these concerts throughout the country at the request of President Roosevelt. It is the wish of our President that the American Federation of Musicians strive to their utmost to bring good music to the American public not only as a "moral booster" during these hectic days, but as a permanent cultural gift as well. President Roosevelt himself requested that the program be carried out all over the nation.

Let us show our appreciation by turning out in large numbers for the concert. Since the type of music played by a symphony orchestra is naturally not interesting to youngsters and since the quietness demanded from the audience during the playing by the orchestra must be absolute silence, parents are requested not to bring children. Elementary grade students will not be admitted to the concert.

Mr. G. F. Rooney and Brother Romuald are in charge of local arrangements.

HONOREE AT SURPRISE DANCE
SATURDAY EVENING

Miss Eloise Collier was the honoree at a surprise dance on Saturday evening given by her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Collier on the occasion of her 18th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier entertained at the A. Palmisano Club which was decorated for the occasion and there about thirty young people danced the hours away.

There was the traditional birthday cake and delicious refreshments were served and the young honoree was the recipient of many lovely gifts and many good wishes. The Echo is wishing Miss Collier many more happy birthdays.

HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Peggy Kergosien was honored with a party by the teachers of the Nursery School where Peggy is a pupil, the occasion being her third birthday. The feature of entertainment was an Easter Egg hunt and the youngsters had a glorious time hunting for eggs. There was the birthday cake with its three candles and other sweets for all the children.

Besides the pupils of the school there were E. J. Lacoste, III, H. Grady Perkins, Jr., Ames Ker-gosien and Karen Kergosien.

Pupils of the school sharing Peggy's party were Ann Ferrell, Sandy Hodges, Andrea Blaize, Ty Robin, Joe Delph, Brenda Kergosien, David Redford, Sheldon Szeaneau, David Levy, Warren Carver, Johnnie Fairchild, August and Jerry Scaife, Nickie Ayres and Billie Joe Kennedy.

HONORS GRANDDAUGHTER ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Clem B. Penrose, Sr., entertained a group of pre-school age boys and girls at her Waveland home on Saturday afternoon honoring her granddaughter Nannette Penrose on the occasion of her third birthday.

There was a pink and white cake with three pink candles which was served with delicious ice cream.

Those enjoying the party with Nannette were Ann and Ruth Ferrell, Emily Delph, Carol Horton, Alice Dupquier, Anna Reynolds, Peggy Kergosien, Janet and Helen Genia, Linda Breath, Joe Delph, Ty Robin, Ames Kergosien, Bill Watts, Clem Penrose III and Andrea Blaize.

CELEBRATES 3RD BIRTHDAY

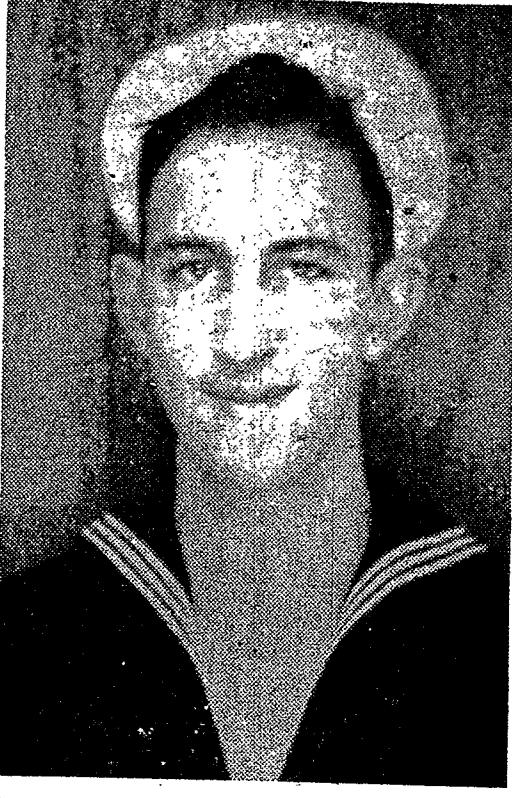
Little Ennis (Sonny) Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Johnson, celebrated his third birthday last week with a party which was given at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carver. The house was prettily decorated in spring colors. There was a beautiful birthday cake with three candles. Games were played and refreshments were served. All the little ones went home tired and happy wishing there was a party every day.

BROTHERS IN SERVICE



CPL. EMMETT J. LADNER

Corporal Emmett J. Ladner is an Army Air Corps Mechanic and is with the 97th Air Base Sqdn, at Jacksonville, Fla.



FLOYD N. LADNER, S 2c

Floyd N. Ladner is Seaman Second Class in the U. S. Navy and is stationed at Treasure Island, California. They are sons of Mr. D. M. Ladner, of Route 1, Pass Christian.

Piano Recital By Music Pupils of S. J. A.

Among outstanding school activities was the public Piano Recital which was recently given by the music pupils of St. Joseph's Academy under the direction of Sister Mary Antoinette, head of the Music Department of the school.

The program opened with a one-act play, "A Day at the Circus" the parts being taken by the younger pupils.

Part 1 of the program was given by the primary and grammar grade pupils who acquitted themselves very creditably, showing talent and training. Those appearing in this part were Betty Vassalli, Gene Aimee, Mary Jane Green, Catherine Bengino, Barbara Boyer, Jennell White, Nannette Arceneaux, Patricia Anna Favre, Anna Maria Piazza, Jo Ann Benedetto, Rita Boh, Louise Piazza, Beatrice Smith, Eleanor Bologna, Carolyn Chabert, Margaret Boh, Carolyn Walker, concluding the Rhythm Orchestra playing Franz Behr's "Spanish Dance."

The long table is laid in the living room and an altar is erected at the head. A cake made in the form of a cross rests between the two tall candle holders where two tapers are kept lighted.

On the table is a feast of fish salads, cakes, breads in the form of alligators, turtles, crosses and one in the form of St. Joseph's staff. There are great quantities of candies some made from the old Italian recipes.

Their home was open from 5 p.m. on Saturday to visitors and on Sunday from 6 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and visitors may place flowers and candles (to be lighted) on the table for their own intentions.

The food was blessed by Rev. Father A. J. Gmeich at 2:30 on Sunday afternoon and then blessed lucky beans were given to those who chose from the old masters.

Those appearing on the program were Kay Ford, Jeanne Arceneaux, Ruth Tucker, Anna Pitalo, Pietra Bologna, Mildred Harrel, Jackie Robertson, Jackie Autin, Irma Kenney, Joyce Dunlap, Anne Baird, Helen Martison, Gloria LeBlanc, Helen Pravata and Peitra Bologna doing the dances. The program closed with the singing of the "The Star Spangled Banner."

This program was well received and Sister Antoinette had reason to be proud of the class as a whole and individually.

Arrives Safely in England

Mrs. Chas. R. Saucier, Jr., of Bay St. Louis received word from her husband Col. C. R. Saucier, Jr., that he has arrived safely "somewhere in England." Cpl. Saucier entered the Army last May 11, receiving his training at Camp Shelby, Miss., later being transferred to Camp Maxey, Texas, where he stayed until being sent across. Mrs. Saucier and young son Steven Richardson are now residing in Bay St. Louis with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Randolph.

\$3800 STILL NEEDED FOR RED CROSS

This Is An Appeal For Your Help!—Don't Let Your County Down

Hancock County is still lacking about \$3800 of its \$9300 quota for the Red Cross War Fund. What is the solution to this problem? Is it your donation that is holding up other donations?

There is a lot of talk of the freedom of this grand old United States but if you are found wanting when your donation to the Red Cross War Fund is needed this freedom will be imperiled.

This is an appeal to you and your patriotism to bring in your donation now and be able to truly say "I have done what I could."

Hancock County will not suffer if it does not make its quota; those working on long hour schedules on the Red Cross Drive won't be hurt if the quota isn't reached, you may not be hurt if you do not give when called on. But what about the men in the trenches, in the fox holes, guiding their planes on lonely flights, on ships far from sight of land with submarines all around them, lying in hospitals in pain and dying from lack of surgical dressings and blood plasma and of sheer loneliness? They are the ones to be considered first, last and always. They are the ones to be hurt, if money is not forthcoming when needed.

The armed forces are winning the war the hard way and have given you the easy way. The privilege of being at home with our families and denying ourselves nothing but a few dollars now and then. Are you going to let them down?

This \$9300 quota is not the responsibility of the women working, working day after day to raise the money. It is the community's responsibility and you Mr. and Mrs. Citizen constitute a part of the community.

Don't have this appeal repeated week after week. Do what you know to be your duty. What you know to be your personal obligation to those who are fighting in rain and cold and sometimes hungry because they haven't time to eat.

Mrs. Harrell, the former Miss Hazel Wise, lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wise in Henleyfield, and is a member of the Henleyfield School faculty.

Celebrates Feast Of Saint Joseph

In keeping with his vow made 24 years ago for the restoration of his wife's health, and which she helps keep, Mr. and Mrs. Gaspar Maurigi again celebrated the Feast of St. Joseph in their home on Railroad Avenue.

The long table is laid in the living room and an altar is erected at the head. A cake made in the form of a cross rests between the two tall candle holders where two tapers are kept lighted.

On the table is a feast of fish salads, cakes, breads in the form of alligators, turtles, crosses and one in the form of St. Joseph's staff. There were many others who gave unstintingly of material and moral support, and to those also we would like to say thanks.

Thanks also to Mr. Henry Larose and his associates in the "Barkers"

end of the fair, namely, Mr. Grady Perkins, Ensign Mark Steiner, Mr. Forrest Favre, Mr. L. S. Elliott, Mr. Donald Arceneaux and Mr. Guy Drew.

This is the second time that these two clubs have worked together to raise funds for the Red Cross.

On each occasion they have met with overwhelming success and it is to be hoped that they will continue as a team in the future.

Waveland School Parents Club to Sponsor Rummage Sale, March 31, April 1

The Parents Club of the Waveland Public School will sponsor a Rummage Sale March 31—April 1, the proceeds go to the funds for the school.

The sale will be open on Friday, March 31, from 9 A.M. to 9 P.M. and on Saturday, April 1 from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

All having rummage please leave it at the school building. This is a good cause and it is hoped that there will be plenty of rummage.

Those having rummage may contact Mrs. S. J. Mauffray, phone 323-W, president of the parents Club, Mrs. Herbert C. Mills, phone 301-K; Mrs. N. C. Erwin, Mrs. Garfield Ladner, Mrs. H. Watson, Mrs. Vital Bourgeois.

This food is all prepared by Mrs. Maurigi with the assistance of members of her family and the baking of the breads is done by Mr. Alfred Vassalli at the Sanitary Bakery.

This year Mrs. Maurigi hesitated preparing the food because of the rationing and Mr. Maurigi said "But we must keep our vow."

R. Terrell Perkins Added To Local War Price And Rationing Board

Mr. R. Terrell Perkins is well known throughout the county and it is felt that his services will be a great addition to the present board which has been operating under a hardship.

There will be additional members added to the board in time and before long there will be complete panels to take care of the many problems requiring attention in the rationing program.

Seriously Wounded



1ST LIEUT. J. C. HARRELL

Lieutenant J. C. Harrell, of Henleyfield, northwest of Picayune, has been officially notified that her husband, First Lieutenant J. C. Harrell, was seriously wounded on February 3, in Kuanakula, in the Central Pacific.

He is stationed in a General Hospital in Hawaii, and is recovering from wounds sustained when a piece of shrapnel hit him in the back and cut one intestine in three places. He is reported to be improving, according to information in letters which his wife received since he has been in the hospital.

Lieutenant Harrell entered the Armed service on June 12, 1942 and spent two months at Camp Wolters, Texas, for his basic training. He was sent to San Luis Obispo, Calif., for desert training with the infantry for five months, and then to Fort Ord, for landing barge invasion training. Lieutenant Harrell took part in the invasion of Attu in the Aleutians, and was also at Kiska. He was there until September and then transferred to the Hawaiian Islands to make preparations for the invasion of the Marshall Islands, during which he was wounded.

Lieutenant Harrell graduated from Sellers High School in 1938, attended Pearl River College and Mississippi State, receiving the "O. T. C. Commission" and being commissioned a Second Lieutenant when he graduated from Mississippi State. He has had only one 11-day furlough since he has been in the army.

Mrs. Harrell, the former Miss Hazel Wise, lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wise in Henleyfield, and is a member of the Henleyfield School faculty.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR ROBERT MAYNARD, FRIDAY

The funeral of Robert Maynard, 73 years old, who died at the King's Daughters Hospital on Thursday, March 17, was held here on Friday afternoon. Services were conducted at the Fahey Funeral Home and at Cedar Rest Cemetery by the Rev. Warwick Aiken, rector of Christ Episcopal Church.

Robert Maynard was a native of Bay St. Louis and lived the greater part of his life here. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Maynard the former served the city as marshal for many years. He leaves three sons, Robert Maynard, Jr., Army Air Corps, stationed at Sebring, Florida; George Maynard who is overseas; J. J. Maynard of Denisse; a daughter, Mrs. Bert Johnson, Lakeshore; two stepsons Frank and William Weltinger, New Orleans. He also leaves a brother, Walter Maynard, Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Maynard was a railroad engineer and worked in that capacity for the Louisville and Nashville Railroad for many years. He belonged to the older generation of Bay St. Louis and was held in high esteem by those who knew him.

Following the blessing of the food it is distributed to the poor. One unique custom is the making of three wreaths of bread and these are given to two orphans a boy and girl and an old man who represent the Blessed Trinity. This year the two orphans were Mary Taconi and Harold Cormier, Gloria LeBlanc, Helen Pravata and Peitra Bologna doing the dances. The program closed with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner."

The food was blessed by Rev. Father A. J. Gmeich at 2:30 on Sunday afternoon and then blessed lucky beans were given to those who chose from the old masters.

Those appearing on the program were Kay Ford, Jeanne Arceneaux, Ruth Tucker, Anna Pitalo, Pietra Bologna, Mildred Harrel, Jackie Robertson, Jackie Autin, Irma Kenney, Joyce Dunlap, Anne Baird, Helen Martison, Gloria LeBlanc, Helen Pravata and Peitra Bologna doing the dances. The program closed with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner."

This program was well received and Sister Antoinette had reason to be proud of the class as a whole and individually.

RED CROSS GETS NAZI FLAG AID

Girls of John McDonough High, 2400 Esplanade avenue, New Orleans, today were promised the "exclusive privilege" of writing their names on captured German flag—providing they make an extra contribution to the Red Cross War Fund campaign.

Elvige Furr, 16, of 114 North Hennessy street, senior, and active Juvenile Red Cross worker, received the flag in a package from Italy yesterday, and promptly rushed it to the school today with her campaign idea.

It was sent her by Jessie Latonaite, Signal Corpsman from Lake Shore, Miss.

"We decided," announced Miss Josephine Thomas, "to delay the flag campaign, however, until after the regular Red Cross collections next week. Each room has a quota of \$10.00."

Already a show presented by the Senior Class, for a dime-plus admission fee, has raised \$94.00, and is being repeated for parents tonight.

Miss Thomas said the pupils probably will contribute in the neighborhood of \$500.00.

The captured flag is red with a white center crossed by a black swastika.

RED CROSS BENEFIT AUCTION

Various Commodities To Be Auctioned—Saturday, April 1st, 7:30 P. M.

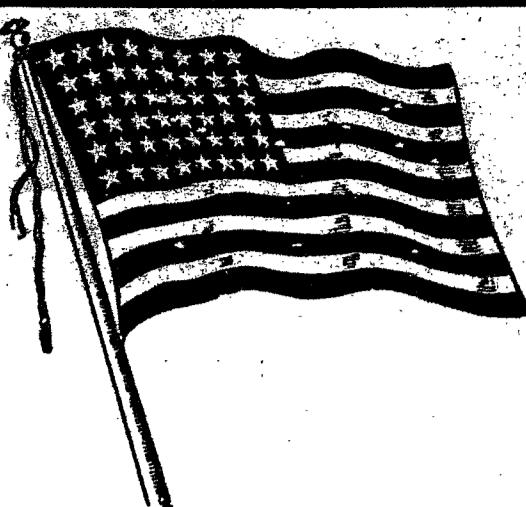
Going, Going, Gone!
Big Auction Sale, Benefit of Red Cross War Fund.

Saturday, April 1, 7:30 P. M.
Beach Front and Court Streets.

Commodities to be auctioned will be groceries, fruit, vegetables, poultry, Garden Tools, Vigar. Furniture, dices, Preserves, gallon paint, flash lights, sugar, musical instruments and others.

They will be auctioned by clever witty auctioneers and buyers will get value received for their purchases. The fun is free and there will be lots of fun for all. So be on hand at the grand auction sale for the Red Cross War Fund.

Donations are wanted. Don't clean out your garrets and give refuse. Give what you can spare of



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NOTICE

There came on for consideration by the Mississippi Seafood Commission, after thorough investigation and study, finds it to be necessary for the protection, propagation and conservation of such fish and seafoods that the taking and catching of such fish and seafoods in said waters are within the jurisdiction of said Seafood Commission and said Commission, after thorough investigation and study, finds it to be necessary for the protection, propagation and conservation of such fish and seafoods that the taking and catching of such fish and seafoods in said waters by any such seine, gill net, trammel net, fish trap or other contrivance and that the use of such seine, gill net, trammel net, fish trap and/or other similar contrivance in said waters should be prohibited; and that the Commission has full jurisdiction to prohibit the same under the provisions of Chapter 164 of the Mississippi Code of 1930; therefore

ORDINANCE NO.
AN ORDINANCE MAKING IT UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION TO USE OR SET ANY SEINE OR NET OR ANY TYPE OR ANY FISH TRAP IN THE WATERS OF JORDAN RIVER OR CUT-OFF BAYOU OR ANY OF THE BAYS, BAYS, STREAMS OR OTHER WATERS TRIBUTARY TO SAID JORDAN RIVER, CUT-OFF BAYOU OR THE STREAMS CONNECTING THEREWITH, INCLUDING THE BAY BETWEEN THE MOUTH OF SAID CUT-OFF BAYOU AND JORDAN RIVER FROM A LINE EXTENDING FROM THE WESTERN TERMINUS OF THE SEAWALL EXTENDING ALONG NORTH BEACH BOULEVARD AND RUNNING THENCE NORTH, SIXTY DEGREES WEST, TO THE EAST BANK AT THE MOUTH OF SAID CUT-OFF BAYOU, ALL IN HANCOCK COUNTY, IN THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, AND MAKING IT UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION TO CATCH OR TAKE ANY FISH FROM ANY OF SAID WATERS BY MEANS OF ANY NET, SEINE OR FISH TRAP, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF SAID ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the Seafood Commission of the State of Mississippi finds that taking and catching fish in the waters of Jordan River, or Cut-off Bayou, or any of the bays, bays, streams or other waters tributary thereto, including the bay between the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou and the mouth of Jordan River from a line extending from the western terminus of the seawall (extending along North Beach Boulevard) and running thence North, sixty degrees West, to the East bank at the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou, all in Hancock County, is inimical to the conservation and propagation of fish and other valuable seafoods which are the property of the State of Mississippi; in trust for the people thereof, and that the use of any such seine, gill net, cast net, trammel net, trap or like contrivance in any of said waters destroys the breeding grounds of such fish and seafoods and tends to deplete the said valuable resource of the State of Mississippi; and that

said waters are within the jurisdiction of said Seafood Commission and said Commission, after thorough investigation and study, finds it to be necessary for the protection, propagation and conservation of such fish and seafoods that the taking and catching of such fish and seafoods in said waters by any such seine, gill net, trammel net, fish trap or other contrivance and that the use of such seine, gill net, trammel net, fish trap and/or other similar contrivance in said waters should be prohibited; and that the Commission has full jurisdiction to prohibit the same under the provisions of Chapter 164 of the Mississippi Code of 1930; therefore

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to take or catch any fish or other seafood by, or with, any seine, gill net, cast net, trammel net, hoop net, barrel net, fyke net, wing net, shrimp trawl net, dragnet or fish trap in any of the waters of Jordan River, or Cut-off Bayou, or any of the bays, bays, streams, or other waters tributary thereto, including the bay between the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou and the mouth of Jordan River from a line extending from the western terminus of the seawall (extending along North Beach Boulevard) and running thence North, sixty degrees West, to the East bank at the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou, all in Hancock County, Mississippi.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to use, set or place any seine, gill net, trammel net, hoop net, barrel net, fyke net, wing net, shrimp trawl net, dragnet or fish trap in any of the waters of Jordan River, or Cut-off Bayou, or any of the bays, bays, streams, or other waters tributary thereto, including the bay between the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou and the mouth of Jordan River from a line extending from the western terminus of the seawall (extending along North Beach Boulevard) and running thence North, sixty degrees West, to the East bank at the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou, all in Hancock County, Mississippi.

SECTION 3. The words, "Jordan River, or Cut-off Bayou, or any of the bays, bays, streams or other waters tributary to said Jordan River, Cut-off Bayou or the streams connecting therewith, including the bay between the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou and the mouth of Jordan River from a line extending from the western terminus of the seawall (extending along North Beach Boulevard) and running thence North, sixty degrees West, to the East bank at the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou, all in Hancock County, by or with any seine, gill net, cast net, trammel net, trap or like contrivance in any of said waters destroys the breeding grounds of such fish and seafoods and tends to deplete the said valuable resource of the State of Mississippi; and that

the western terminus of the seawall (extending along North Beach Boulevard) and running thence North, sixty degrees West, to the East bank at the mouth of said Cut-off Bayou, all in Hancock County, in the State of Mississippi," as used in this ordinance shall be construed to mean any of said waters being West or North from a line commencing at the Western terminus of the seawall extending along North Beach Boulevard, which extends along the shore of the Bay of St. Louis in Hancock County, Mississippi; and from said point, at the terminus of said seawall, running North, sixty degrees West to the easternmost bank or point where Cut-off Bayou empties into said Bay of St. Louis lying West and North of said line, and any inlets, lagoon or bays connected therewith which flow into the main body of the water of the Bay of St. Louis, or of any streams or body of water which flows into said Bay of St. Louis.

SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be fined in the sum of not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, or imprisoned in the jail of the county in which such violation of this ordinance is committed for not more than thirty days for each such offense, or punished by both fine or imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

SECTION 5. BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that each section of this ordinance is declared separable and if any section or part thereof be held invalid, unconstitutional or void, the balance of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that any ordinance or part of ordinance of this Commission in conflict herewith be and the same is hereby repealed; and the public necessity requiring it; that this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and that the Secretary of this Commission, be and he is hereby directed to make publication of this ordinance in a newspaper published in Hancock County, Mississippi. Approved:

M. H. DEE
President of the Seafood Commission of the State of Mississippi.

The foregoing ordinance was unanimously adopted by the Seafood Commission of the State of Mississippi, at its regular meeting held pursuant to recess in the City of Biloxi, on March 6, 1944.

(SEAL)

M. H. DEE
President of the Seafood Commission of the State of Mississippi.

Attest:

F. W. ELMER
Secretary of the Seafood Commission of the State of Mississippi.

The foregoing ordinance of the Seafood Commission of the State of Mississippi, having been first reduced to writing, on motion of Commissioner Jos. O. Mauffray, seconded by Commissioner Naif Jordan, was read and considered by sections, and on motions duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, each of said sections was approved, ordered and adopted; thereupon the question came up for consideration whether the said ordinance as a whole should be adopted, ordered and passed, and on motion of Commissioner Jos. O. Mauffray, Naif Jordan, and unanimously carried, the said ordinance was passed, ordered and adopted; the vote on final passage being as follows:

Yea, Commissioners Jos. O. Mauffray, Naif Jordan, B. F. Keyes, M. H. Dees and Noyes. None.

Whereupon said ordinance was declared duly ordered, passed and adopted.

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A fiery-brilliant performance by Errol Flynn, against the icy-brilliant background of the snowy expanses of Canada's Hudson Bay Country, dominates the vivid epic of adventure, "Northern Pursuit," the new Warner Bros. picture at the A. & G. Theater Sunday and Monday. In an exciting narrative which cleverly alternates gale with explosive outbursts of physical action, his portrayal is a sensitively accurate blending of his impetuosity in "They Died With Their Boots On" and his restraint in "Edge of Darkness."

Julie Bishop, Helmut Dantine, John Ridgely and Gene Lockhart head a supporting cast which is in every instance equal to the story's dramatic vigor and intensity.

Captured by Mounties

To the party of uniformed Nazis, landed on the coast of Hudson Bay on a sabotage mission, the setting is a hostile force which almost annihilates them at the very outset. Only the leader, Colonel von Keller (Helmut Dantine) survives an avalanche of snow and falls into the hands of Royal Canadian Mountie Steve Wagner (Errol Flynn) and Jim Austin (John Ridgely.)

Julie Bishop, Forceful

As Flynn's sweetheart Laura, Julie Bishop is as forceful and resourceful as she is pretty, taking a key part in the strenuous action.

Helmut Dantine as von Keller continues to avenge his real-life imprisonment in a concentration camp by a full-length portrayal of a Nazi that audiences will love to hate.

Audie Walsh is a director with a decided knack for action. Here in the frozen North he keeps things warm and humming, with no danger that either actors or audience will suffer from frost-bite. He has often been assigned to Flynn's pictures and again their collaboration has produced a gratifying result.

"Northern Pursuit" produced by Jack Chertok, was written by Frank Gruber and Alvah Bessie from Leslie T. White's story.

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Flat Top News

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lott have received news from their son Pfc. Winfred Lott who was seriously wounded, that he is getting along O.K.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Warren from Rolling Fork, Miss., visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Warren Sunday. They also visited in Gainesville.

Mr. Lester Wheat is expected to arrive home this week end. He is in the U.S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Pittman and children from Pearl River, La., visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mitchell.

Mr. Sam Dell and Mr. Charlie Warren were business visitors to New Orleans, La., last week.

Gainesville News

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Cora Miller Schulties were: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar D. Miller from Gulfport; and Mrs. Howard Miller from Gulfport; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Miller from Rolling Fork; Mr. and Mrs. John Wren from Anguilla, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Richards from Handsboro.

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There is late news from Sgt. Ray Thigpen, Sgt. Dolph Keller and Pvt. Vallie Davies. These boys are in the South Pacific and are O.K.

Aaron Academy

A very beautiful and solemn service was held Sunday night in Corinth Church with the dedication of our Service Honor Roll. The U. S. Flag and Christian Flag with Chaplain Hogan of Keesler Field doing the speaking. The church was beautifully decorated in red, white and blue. Reserve seats for parents were well filled. Ushears were two of our service men home on furlough. Chief Petty Officer Clifton Carbotte and Pvt. Houston Frierson.

A farewell party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Frierson honoring Pvt. Elbert Frierson and his bride. A large crowd attended and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Martinez spent last week with Mrs. Martinez's parents. N. H. expects to join the Armed forces soon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Campbell of Vicksburg visited their daughter, Mrs. Louis Thigpen last week. They also visited John Campbell of Leetown and Mrs. W. C. McCrimmon, another visitor was their aunt Mrs. M. A. Nicholson of Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Campbell and children and Ruby Campbell spent the week end visiting Mrs. Louis Thigpen and the John Campbells of Leetown.

Mrs. S. B. Mitchell received a message from the War Department saying that her son, Simon, was wounded in action. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

News from Pfc. Henry Campbell is that he has been moved from the hospital to a rest camp in New Zealand.

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Pharmacist Mae 1st Class and Mrs. H. W. Griffon are the proud and happy parents upon the arrival of their little daughter, born at 1:30 a. m. Tuesday, March 21st at Providence Infirmary, Mobile, Ala.

For a ten day furlough game Corp. Charles O. Carver from Stewart, Ga. Every moment was enjoyed by Charlie and his pal Malvin Ladner. Charlie left on Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Geisler from New Orleans came over on Tuesday visiting with Mr. Thos. Bourgeois and family.

Miss Margie Bordages is home on a vacation. Margie is employed in New Orleans.

Richard Bourgeois left on Friday March 17th as a volunteer for Navy duty in San Diego. A letter from him to his parents states the life in the Navy is just what he has been longing for. Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Buddy) Bourgeois can be proud of two sons now in the service. Staff Sgt. John Bourgeois is now home on furlough from Panama.

Meet your friends at the Rummage Sale in the Town Hall on Friday, March 31st and Saturday, April 1st. You may find something you have been looking for. This sale is being sponsored by the Mothers Club.

Best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt upon the arrival of a son, their fourth child. Mrs. Wyatt was formerly Miss Edwina Haas.

Despite the inclement weather of the past week end many visitors were over.

Invitations to the miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Agnes Bourgeois on Thursday, March 23rd at the Answer in Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damiens and family are in New Orleans. Mr. Damiens has been called in the service.

Mr. James Picton is a visitor at the home of his sister Mrs. R. Townes.

Waveland News

Waveland School Children Collect Waste Paper

Many thousand pounds of waste paper including newspapers, cardboards and packing crates have been collected by the children after school, from residences and places of business. All these collections have been carefully packed and tied ready for delivery. Anyone having paper can communicate with Miss Mary Perkins, principal of Waveland school who has taken such a keen interest in this undertaking.

Free Concert

The New Orleans Symphony Orchestra will be heard on Sunday, March 26th at the Merchant Marine Base "Inn-by-the-Sea" at Henderson Point. This will be a real treat for all music lovers along the Coast. Date: Sunday March 26th, time 2:30 P. M.

Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. Clifford Bourgeois was honored on Thursday, March 16th, honoring Miss Ruby Menendez of New Orleans. Many pretty and useful gifts were showered on Miss Menendez who on Sunday became the bride of Pvt. Morris Bourgeois.

Bourgeois-Menendez Nuptial

Among March weddings was that of Miss Ruby Menendez to Pvt. Morris Bourgeois, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourgeois on Sunday March 19th in St. Anthony's Church in New Orleans. The bride was pretty in a white satin gown and wore a wreath and veil. Pvt. Bourgeois was in an army uniform. Her attendants were two bridesmaids, her sister and a cousin, also a maid of honor. Her little niece was flower girl. After the ceremony a reception was held at her home. Those attending from Waveland were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourgeois, Melanie, Leroy and Ray Bourgeois, Mayor and Mrs. Garfield Ladner, Mrs. Grace Ann Wilson and little Melvin Wilson, Marvin and Carl Ladner, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bourgeois and son Ronnie Harry Bourgeois, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bourgeois and Anthony Bourgeois. Pvt. Bourgeois plans to return to Arizona.

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Mr. Clarence Wyman and his son Jr., spent the day in Logtown with Miss Mary Lafontaine of Logtown.

Mr. Rosaire McLean of Gainesville, Miss., is in the Picayune hospital. We regret very much his illness.

Ada Carver and Mary Catherine Lafontaine of Logtown spent the day in Bay St. Louis Monday.

Fenton & Dedeaux

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garriga and daughter Janice Faye, of Bay St. Louis, were guests of Mrs. G. O. Garriga Sunday.

Sgt. Berlin Ladner, the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ladner was home on furlough.

Funeral services will be held for Mrs. Adolph Ory, Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in Rotten Bayou Cemetery. Rev. Father Denis officiating. Mrs. Ory had been ill for some time. Those surviving her are her husband, Mr. Adolph Ory, two sons Leroy and Cornelius (Bud), who is in the Army. Three sisters, Mrs. Josie Gay of Louisiana; Mrs. Sidney Bennett of Kiln and Mrs. Moody Genin of Picayune; six brothers Asa, Norbert, Leo, Ferdinand, Alva, and Owen Mauffray and one grandchild.

Mr. N. C. Necease of Pass Christian was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Garriga, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lizzana and family of Pascagoula, visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

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Sunday-Monday, 26-27 ERROL FLYNN & JULIE BISHOP in "NORTHERN PURSUIT"

News and Cartoon

Tuesday-Wednesday, 28-29 FRANCES LANGFORD & EDWARD MORRIS in "CAREER GIRL"

Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday, 30-31 MICHAEL O'SHEA & SUSAN HAYWARD in "JACK LONDON"

News and Short Subjects

Sellers News

Pvt. Arthur Shaw is enjoying a furlough at home with his mother Mrs. Amanda Shaw and family. He is stationed in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Neely, Sellers Agricultural teacher have their son, Kenneth, Jr., home with them. He is in the Air Corps and came from Chicago and expects to go back to Virginia.

Mr. Tovie Smith left Thursday for New Orleans after a two weeks leave with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. T. Smith of Steep Hollow.

Billie Rae Howard of Gulfport spent the week end with Willie J. Jr. Ladner.

Willie Ladner and Oscar Peterson have been on the sick list for the past week but at this writing are somewhat improved.

Leetown News

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Campbell of Vicksburg, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cannon of New Orleans and Mrs. Flora McCrimmon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, Sunday.

Mrs. Shelby Lee and Miss Betty Lou Lee went to Poplarville Hospital Saturday.

We are glad to report that little Miss Janice Faye Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heber Lee, is improving. She was under treatment of doctors last week because of an abscessed tooth.

Irene Baker visited relatives in Poplarville Friday night.

Mrs. Harvey Smith visited her husband at Camp Shelby last week.

Miss Mary Rose Campbell of Pearl River College is home for the Spring Holidays.

Mrs. Virgil Stockstill is visiting her husband who is stationed in a camp in Florida.

Logtown News

Mrs. Emma Baxter has returned from Pascagoula where she spent a few days with her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Sacerdote visited their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Davidson, and children in New Orleans, last Sunday.

Mrs. Horatio Givens is visiting friends in Augusta Ga., for a few days.

Mrs. Ethel Otis and her sister, Mrs. W. Lawrence, of Orlando, Fla., are spending a few days here in Miss Otis' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Couloungue, Jr., and children of New Orleans, spent last week end in their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lott and son, of New Orleans visited Mr. Lott's mother, Mrs. Emily Lott, Sunday and she returned with them for a visit.

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ESTATE OF MRS. KATIE HELLMERS HORD, DECEASED

No. 4716

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND BY EXECUTOR

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the will of Mrs. Katie Hellmers Hord, deceased, and by virtue of the decree of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, rendered therein on March 3rd, 1944, the undersigned executor of the estate of the said testatrix will offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, within legal hours, in front of the main entrance of the county court house of Hancock County, Mississippi, on

MONDAY, THE 3RD DAY OF APRIL, 1944,

the following described lands located in the town or village of Clemiton Harbor, Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:

(a) A certain lot of land situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the North Line of the right of way of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co., distant on a course North 58 degrees 15' in. east 20.48 chains from the point of intersection of said north line of right of way and the west line of the S. E. ¼ of the N. W. ¼ of section 17, township 9 S. R. 14 West; thence North 32 degrees west 22.78 chains to the North line of said section 17; thence east 31.9 chains thence south 32 degrees East 21.15 chains to the aforesaid N. line of right of way; thence 2.70 chains to the place of beginning, being in the N. E. ¼ of the N. W. ¼ of Section 17, Township 9 S. R. 14 West, and containing 6 acres, more or less. Being the first described lot of land in share 7 allotted to Samuel Ladner, as per decree of partition among the heirs of Victor Ladner, deceased, in the cause of Mrs. Amanda Williams et al vs. Daniel Ladner, of the docket of the Chancery Court of said county, recorded in Vol. C. 2, pages 185-190, records of deeds of said county.

The above described lands will be sold pursuant to the provisions of the will of the said testatrix and the decree of court for the purpose of dividing the proceeds of the sale thereof among the heirs of the said Mrs. Katie Hellmers Hord.

Witness my signature, this the 7th day of March, 1944.

EMILE HELLMERS

Executor of the Estate of Mrs. Katie Hellmers Hord.

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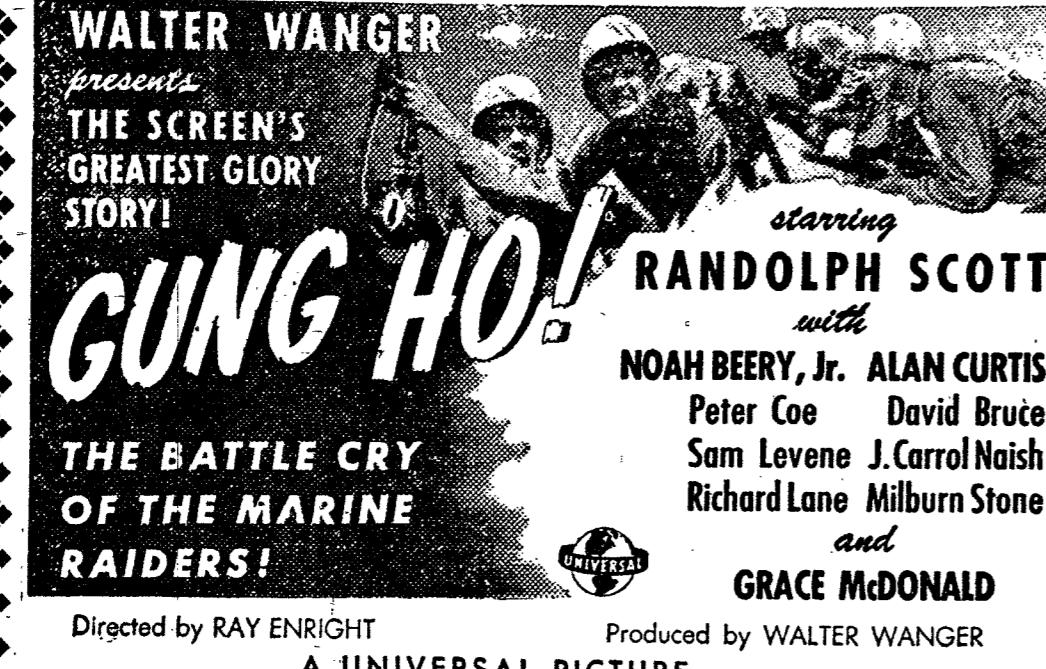
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The Sea Coast Echo

City Echoes

Mrs. Arthur Scafide spent a few days in New Orleans last week.

Mrs. James Cook left this week for a two weeks stay at Starkville where she will be the guest of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Necease and Mrs. Clarence Hode of Sellers are visiting Mrs. and Mrs. Eric Necease on Sycamore Street.

Mr. Roland Carver returned to New Orleans, last Sunday after spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carver.

Miss Anna May Saucier, who recently underwent an operation in New Orleans is at home again and is much improved.

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Contrary To Current False Rumors, I Have No Intention Of Closing My Grocery Business, Even Though I May Be Inducted Into The Army. MY BUSINESS WILL CONTINUE AS AT PRESENT.

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Home-Glo All-Purpose Cleaner, 32 oz. bottle	35c
Des-Tex Dry Cleaner for stains, grease, tar	Pint 65c
Des-Tex "Klenz" for cleaning silverware, windows and dishes	Pint 75c
Des-Tex Foam cleans rugs and upholstery; helps protect against moths	Pint 75c

POLISHES

Liquid Veneer Furniture Polish, 2 oz. bottle	10c
Home-Glo Self-Polishing Wax, 6 oz. bottle	15c
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—Miss Lydia Monti and Mrs. Jack Garriga spent Friday in New Orleans.

—Mrs. Eugene Davis is on the sick list this week. Her many friends hope she will soon be well and out.

—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fayard and daughter Mailynn of New Orleans visited Mrs. Octave Fayard on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Horace Farr, Mrs. L. D. Corley, Pasquale, Miss Urane Delmas, Pasquale and Clarence Haven spent Wednesday in New Orleans.

—Pvt. Cornelius T. Shaw returned to Camp Philip, Kansas, this week after spending an eight-day furlough at home with his wife and mother Mrs. Lelia Shaw.

—Mrs. O. T. (Ethel) Arnold left Sunday for New Orleans accompanied by Mrs. Flora Mauffray. Mrs. Arnold underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital Monday morning.

—Mrs. Carrie Maddox left this week for Savannah, Georgia to visit her daughter Mrs. J. E. McQueen. Mrs. Maddox has been visiting her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Arch Hart for the past several months.

—Pvt. Richard Norvell and Mrs. Norvell spent last week end with Mrs. Norvell's parents and sister Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carver and Mrs. Ennis Johnson. Pvt. Norvell will spend a few weeks with her parents.

—Mrs. W. G. Simpson, wife of Mayor Simpson of Pass Christian, underwent a major operation at the Touro Infirmary, New Orleans, last week. Reports from there are that she is doing nicely. Mrs. Simpson has many friends in Bay St. Louis where her children attend school.

—Captain J. D. Geraci, Army Medical Corps in charge of a hospital ship platoon, spent Wednesday here with his young son, John D. Geraci, Jr., at the home of Mrs. J. T. Leddy where John Jr., has lived since the death of his mother. He accompanied his father back to New Orleans for a visit to his grandmother, Mrs. A. Geraci.

—Mr. S. J. Ingram, Mrs. Anna May Stroup, Mrs. Natalie Watson, Mrs. Lucile Anderson, Miss Elizabeth Harrington, Miss Opal Royal, Miss Alma Parker and Howard Kidd attended the meeting of the Mississippi Educational Association in session in Jackson on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week.

—Mrs. J. R. Rollins has returned from a week's visit to her sister Mrs. Otto Seaman at Houston, Texas. While there Mrs. Rollins visited the River Oaks Azalea Trail which is followed through the \$1,000,000 home section of Houston. There were several parties given for Mrs. Rollins while in Houston and she returned a wonderful time.

—Mrs. Agnes Wentworth has returned after a visit of two weeks to her children at Hattiesburg and Jackson and to Mrs. Wentworth's relatives at Pickens. Mrs. Wentworth who now makes her home with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hart, was accompanied home by her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wentworth of Hattiesburg.

—Going from here to Jackson for the State Convention of the Mississippi Congress Parents and Teachers Association in session in Jackson on March 21-23 were Mrs. C. C. McDonald, member Board of Managers, Mrs. J. A. Evans, chairman, convention Rules Committee and Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, president of the Central School P. T. A. They were joined in Gulfport by Mrs. C. C. Clark, state president.

—Guests at the home of Ms. Octave Fayard last week end were Sgt. Robert Danice, Cpl. Donald Blair of Gulfport Air Base; Lt. McGuire of Kentucky and D. L. Gordian and Pvt. D. A. Weisham of Gulfport Field.

—Captain James L. Mehaffey, Army, visited his wife and little daughter last week at the home of Mrs. Mehaffey's parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bandert. Capt. Mehaffey is stationed at Camp Howze, Texas.

—Lieut. George Schultz of Indiana, a retired Naval Officer is stopping at the home of Miss Louise Crawford. He is on a short rest period from his work as an instructor at Bloomington, Indiana, in the State University.

—Pfc. Leroy T. Luke, Army, has been promoted to the rank of Corporal according to news received here by his wife. Corp. Luke is stationed at Camp Forest, Tennessee. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Chadwick of Waveland. This is the Dan Chadwick's first grandchild.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Griffon of Mobile, announce the birth of a daughter on March 21. Mrs. Griffon is the former Miss Catherine Chadwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Chadwick of Waveland. This is the Dan Chadwick's first grandchild.

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